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CHILKAT INLET AND CHILKAT RIVER SUBSISTENCE SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT

Subsistence salmon fishing in the Chilkat River (from 4-mile Haines Hwy to 1 mile upstream of Wells Bridge), which was scheduled to close September 30, 2022, as specified on subsistence salmon permits, will remain open through October 9, 2022, to allow additional subsistence harvest opportunity on late-run sockeye, chum, and coho salmon returning to the Chilkat River. The subsistence salmon fishery in Chilkat Inlet north of Glacier Point will be open the Saturday before and during any commercial drift gillnet opening in Section 15-A through October 15, 2022.

Fishers are reminded that subsistence salmon permits issued for the Haines Management Area **must be returned to the Haines Area office by November 10, 2022.**

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S7722.

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